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## Women's Club Newsletter



August 2023

### UBWC Board -2023-2024

#### **Executive Board**

*President-Beth Kaderabeck*  
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*Co-Chair-Julia Cohan*  
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*Co-Chair-Barbara Kaye*  
*Membership-Anne Bielinski*  
*Co-Chair-Susan D'Angelo*  
*Member Recognition*  
*Maryann "Po" Jumper*  
*Co-Chair-Patricia Pokracki*  
*New Members-Carmella Hanley*  
*Co-Chair-Dawn Halvorson*  
*Newsletter-Elaine Kellick*  
*Co-Chair-Joan Lojacono*  
*Nominating-Julia Cohan*  
*Co-Chair-Connie Rao*  
*Parliamentarian-Joyce Lenda*  
*Publicity-Marion Busch*  
*Telephone-Mary Anne Grady*  
*Tribute Fund-Jane Meka*  
*University and Community Service*  
*Joan Taggart*  
*Co-Chair-Bunny Neenos*  
*Yearbook-Pamela Lojacono*  
*Co-chair-Andrea Borgioli*

#### **STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

The U.B. Women's Club is a non-profit service organization to the University at Buffalo and its community. Its members participate in educational, and charitable activities which directly sponsor the Grace Capen Academic Awards in the Spring semester. Membership in UB Women's Club is open to women who have commitment to The University and the purpose of the Women's Club



### *President's Message*

Welcome to the 78th year of the *UNIVERSITY OF BUFFALO WOMEN'S CLUB (UBWC)*. The years after WWII were not only years of recovery but also years of future advancement. UBWC was an outgrowth of the Faculty Wives Club. Grace Capen, wife of the president of the University of Buffalo, got this organization started raising money for scholarships and academic awards with a donation of \$50. This past May we awarded 37 students \$500. for their high academic achievement of 3.95 averages or better. In addition, we provide money for financial need to several students. We've come a long way in 77 years.

While our organization's main goal is to raise money for academic advancement, we try very hard to do so while also providing social and intellectual opportunities for our members. This year we have scheduled a number of popular luncheons and dinners as in the past. We also offer several *ACTIVITY GROUPS* for our members' benefits. Please take the time to read through this newsletter as it's the first edition of the 2023/24 year.

I look forward to meeting as many of you as I can over the next year. It is amazing to learn about each member and your wonderful accomplishments. Do not hesitate to reach out to new people at our events. We are a great group of women who know how to have fun as well as raise money for scholarships.

*Beth Kaderabeck*

#### **TRIFOLD PAMPHLET CORRECTION**

You may be a little confused upon receiving a second Trifold recently. If you haven't received a corrected trifold in the mail, you will soon. The original trifold was sent out with your membership renewal packet in July. Unfortunately, there were some errors and omissions in that copy. Each year there is a team of women working on this packet. This year we had a few problems beyond our control. We felt it best to reprint the trifold for all of you. The trifold is still the best quick reference for the year. As always we update the yearbook as we receive this year's membership forms.

Sorry for the confusion. We hope you will understand that no matter how hard we try, we sometimes do not reach perfection.

Beth Kaderabeck , President, and The Executive Board of UBWC

*Editor's Note: This issue of the newsletter is a special edition and does not have all group activity information.*

## ACTIVITY GROUPS CALENDAR AND DESCRIPTIONS

CO-CHAIRS: Barbara Miner (716-810- 9205) and Ann Rudin (716-689-7804)

### BOOKS:

Meets 2nd Monday from 1:00 - 3:00  
 Canterbury Woods Clubhouse  
 CAROLYN GIAMBRA 716-863-8945  
 LOIS KELLY 716-649-8015  
 (VIA Zoom) 2nd Tuesday  
 PAULA SALAMONE 716-479-1088

### DOMINOES/MEXICAN TRAIN

Meets 2nd Friday from 1:00- 4:00  
 MARYANN "PO" JUMPER 716-435-3412  
 CLAUDIA REEVES 716-633-6637

### BRIDGE FLIGHT

Bridge times are arranged by players  
 NANCY DENEEN 716-835-2101

### SMALL GROUP DINING

Days and places vary  
 VICKI PAPPAS 812-361-9500

### FRENCH CONVERSATION

Meets 1st Monday at 2:00 PM at member's homes.  
 Members are asked to speak in French only.  
 JEAN JAIN 716-633-5932

### MAJ-JONGG

Wednesdays from 1:00 to 4:00  
 BETH KADERABECK 716-689-0883

### NEEDLEWORK

Meets 3rd Thursday at 1:00 PM at member's homes.  
 Light refreshments will be served.  
 SUSAN D'ANGELO 716-908-2370  
 CONNIE RAO 716-634-2549

### SPECIAL EVENTS

Dates and places vary  
 BARBARA MINOR 716-810-9205

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
WEEK 1	3:00 PM FRENCH CONVERSATION Member's Home (2:00 PM)		MAJ JONGG 1:00-4:00 Temple Shir Shalom		
WEEK 2	BOOKS Canterbury Woods Clubhouse (1:00 PM)	BOOKS Via zoom 1:00 pm	MAJ JONGG 1:00-4:00 Temple Shir Shalom		DOMINOES MEXICAN TRAIN (1:00-4:00 PM) Temple Shir Shalom
WEEK 3	BRIDGE Inter/Advanced (10:00 A.M)		MAJ JONGG 1:00-4:00 Temple Shir Shalom	NEEDLEWORK Member's Homes Light Refreshments (1 PM)	
WEEK 4			MAJ JONGG 1:00-4:00 Temple Shir Shalom		

***New Opportunities for you to volunteer and become more involved in UBWC.***

**We are currently looking for the following:**

- Chairperson(s) for Art n' Lunch
- Chairperson(s) for Gourmet

**Techniques If you are interested, please contact**

**Beth Kaderabeck at [ekaderabeck@gmail.com](mailto:ekaderabeck@gmail.com) or 716-364-8292**

**HAVE YOU SENT YOUR RESERVATION IN Yet?**



*University at Buffalo  
Women's Club Fall Luncheon*



**Please join us at our opening Membership Luncheon  
Saturday, September 9, 2023  
Wurlitzer Events-Tower Room  
908 Niagara Falls Boulevard  
North Tonawanda, NY, 14120**

Activity Registration & Vendors-11:00 am-12:00 noon  
(15% of all sales will rebate to our fundraising efforts)

Luncheon served at 12:15 pm. Prices include tip, \$5 tax-deductible donation to Grace Capen Academic Award Fund

All selections include, Rolls & Butter, or Enhanced  
Olive Oil, Garlic Red Skin Smashed Potato &  
Vegetable Dessert-Lemon Ricotta Cheesecake, Coffee/tea

**\_\_\_Cod Bruschetta \$40**

Broiled Cod with Lemon Butter, Bruschetta and  
Balsamic Glaze

**\_\_\_Vegetable Wellington \$37**

Assorted Vegetables and Quinoa in Puff Pastry  
with Sweet Pepper-Tomato Coulis

**\_\_\_Chicken Wurlitzer \$37**

Boneless Grilled Chicken, artichoke Hearts,  
Fresh Mozzarella & Sweet Pepper-Tomato Coulis

~~Your check is your receipt. Questions call Pat Ihle 716-775-5154~~

**Make check payable to UB Women's Club and send By August 25<sup>th</sup> to \**

**Pat Ihle  
593 Willow Terrace Apt 3  
Grand Island, NY 14072-3608**



Please indicate your choice and quantity if you are bringing guests

**\_\_\_Cod Bruschetta \$40    \_\_\_Vegetable Wellington \$37    \_\_\_Chicken Wurlitzer \$37**

**Name ----- Check total -----**

**Phone----- Email-----**

**Guest(s) name(s) \_\_\_\_\_**  
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**SAVE THE**  
**DATE**  
**JANUARY 20,**  
**2024**

**Annual Dinner and Wine  
Pairing featuring  
Italian Wines &  
Cuisine at  
The Fairdale**

The earlier date means that we need to start collecting basket raffle items, gift cards, cash donations, and bottles of wine at each of the following events:

**September 9<sup>th</sup> Fall Luncheon**  
**October 21<sup>st</sup> International Feast**  
**December 2<sup>nd</sup> Holiday Luncheon**

*Deb Berger Luella Kenny Betty Schaertel*

***NOTES FROM HOSPITALITY***

**ATTENTION: ALL CHAIRPERSONS FOR  
UPCOMING UBWC' FUNDRAISING EVENTS**

\*Please look at Duties for Planning a Luncheon/Dinner for UBWC on our website for guidelines to follow.

\*You can view photos with descriptions of various centerpieces & vases that you can borrow from Hospitality

\*Contact Hospitality if you need raffle and/or split club tickets for your event.

**Deb Berger 716-691-0279**



## **Donation! Donations! Donations!**

### **Donations Requested**

On **September 9th**, I will be at the **Fall Luncheon** accepting early donations for the **Dinner and Wine Pairing** event on **January 20, 2024**.

Please consider bringing one of the following to the luncheon:

- \* A bottle of wine
- \* A gift certificate from your favorite restaurant or service provider
- \* A cash donation to be used to purchase gift certificates
- \* A completed filled basket ready for the raffle
- \* Items to be used in a basket

All donations are tax deductible. Your personal donations as well as donations from businesses will receive a receipt for tax purposes. The donation request letter is in this newsletter for you to print. Please watch for emails regarding future donation opportunities. If you have any questions please call:

Gloria O'Neill @ 716-445-3797 Chair

Jill Lucci @ 716-759 0521



**Spring luncheon.**  
**Installing our new officers for 2023-24**

## UBWC BOOK CLUB

Coordinators: Carolyn Giambra, 716-863-8945, Lois Kelly, 716-649-8015 Meetings are on the second Monday of the month at Canterbury Woods Chelsea Clubhouse, 671 Downing Lane, off Ayer Road, Williamsville.

Refreshments at 1 pm, discussion at 1:30 pm.

**Zoom meetings** are on the second Tuesday of the month at 1 pm.

Coordinator: Paula Salamone, 716-479-1088.



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| September 11, 12  | <u>Daughters of the Flower Fragrant Garden</u> by Zhuqing Li<br>Discussion Leader: Elaine Cusker      Hostesses: Grace Little & friend         |
| October 9, 10     | <u>Horse</u> by Geraldine Brooks      Discussion Leader: Dawn Halvorsen<br>Hostesses: Linda Snyder and Pat Scholz                              |
| November 13, 14   | <u>Wedding Dress Sewing Circle</u> by Jennifer Ryan<br>Discussion Leader: Susie Siegel      Hostesses: Joan Taggart and friend                 |
| December 11, 12   | <u>Small Things Like These</u> by Claire Keegan, Discussion Leader:<br>Colleen Maloney-Berman      Hostesses: Sue D'Angelo and Ginger Mitchell |
| January 8, 9 2024 | <u>Lessons in Chemistry</u> by Bonnie Garmus      Discussion Leader: Susan Busch<br>Hostesses: Laura Neubecker, Connie Rao, Carla Bevilacqua   |
| February 12, 13   | <u>Born a Crime</u> by Trevor Noah      Discussion Leader: Janet Zehr<br>Hostesses: Marianne Boccabella and friend                             |
| March 11, 12      | <u>Look for Me There</u> by Luke Russert      Discussion Leader: Terri Cohen<br>Hostesses: Pam Pollock and Lesley Kearney                      |
| April 8, 9        | <u>Hurricane Lizards and Plastic Squid</u> by Thor Hanson      Discussion Leader:<br>Francie Marzec<br>Hostesses: Mickey Hice and Jane Olsen   |
| May 13, 14        | Planning Meeting      Facilitators: Carolyn Giambra, Lois Kelly, Paula Salamone<br>Hostesses: Beth Kaderabek and friend                        |

### OTHER BOOKS NOMINATED FOR UBWC BOOK GROUP, 2023-2024

Bookwoman of Troublesome Creek by Kim Richardson

JB by Archibald McLeish

The Personal Librarian by Marie Benedict

The Dinner by Herman Koch

The Woman with the Cure by Lynn Cullen

Wish you Were Here by Jodi Picoult

A Little Wartime Library by Kate Thompson

The Widow of the South by Robert Hicks

Next Ship Home by Heather Webb      The

Cuckoo's Calling by Robert Galbraith

Kennedy Debutante by Kerri Maher

The Paris Bookseller by Kerri Maher

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